ScalaCoeli
Vinho Regional Alentejano
Red 2016

This wine takes its name from the Santa Maria Scala Coeli Monastery where monks live in silence and daily prayer. Only produced in exceptional years from grape varieties which are not typical from the Alentejo region, since 2005.

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Grape Varieties
Alicante Bouschet

Type of Soil
Granitic

Analysis
Alcohol (%) – 15
Total Acidity (g/l) – 5.7
pH – 3.72
Residual Sugar (g/l) – 0.4

Vinification
In 2016 Alicante Bouschet was used, harvested on the 11 of October. After picking, the grapes underwent cold maceration followed by fermentation at 28°C and a further, prolonged, maceration for 30 days. Maturation took place over 16 months in new french oak barrels.

Serving Temperature
16°C a 18°C

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